

## Policy

1. Eliminate the distinction between WFU and other unplanned ignitions. (fire is fire) **Action- change department & agency manuals and guidebooks. Team #1: Ken Castro, Ken Kerr, Fred Bird, Susan Sater, Brad Cella, Gary Cones, Ken Snell- Report to Tim (WFLC level issue) List of barriers, describe current systems that create this problem, for each identify the changes needed**
2. Allow more than one strategy/objective with a fire. **Action- white paper on issue with recommendations to change the policy. Team #1 report to Tim (WFLC level issue)**
3. There is no mechanism/ authority to pay for restoration of damage from an appropriate management response event. Rehab, repair, restoration,... **Action- develop a white paper with proposals. Recommendations for administration of this proposal. Team #2: Kim Vanhemelryck, Matt Reidy, Marcia Andre, Tom Zimmerman, Craig Letz, Dave Campbell, Roy Johnson, Jack Hamby (Department level issue)**
4. Same as above but for WFU **Team #2**
5. Clarify designation of WFU for smoke management- not Rx fire **Action: Work with EPA on rule. Team #3: Dennis Haddow, Pete Lahm,**
6. 3-year interval – more flexibility in air quality rule with EPA **Team #3**
7. Same terminology for all fire management activities **Action: Currently there is a set of words used in WFU that are**

different from those used in suppression; we want the same words for both. Team #1 may develop additional teams

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8. (8) All who work in fire management that want it would be reimbursed for 50% liability insurance
9. (9) Align DOI with DOA policies for back-fill (cover base 8 of detailer to fill behind firefighter while they are gone)
10. (m) Develop funding mechanism to mitigate effects offsite and on other ownerships
11. (m) Get rid of different processes for responding to unplanned ignitions- eliminate WFSAs
12. (l) Definition of escaped fire and the requirements occurring after that- return to WFU (not necessary if #4 implemented)
13. (l) Full overtime and base 8 for all risk
14. (l) Natural vs human ignition source for resource benefit- all human caused fires currently suppressed
15. (l) Allow for WFU's to be reignited across constructed barriers by managers
16. (l) Allow extinguish and re-ignition of WFU
17. (l) Carbon sequestration policy
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## Management

1. One fire management workforce trained in all aspects of wildland fire management-WFU, Rx and suppression.  
**Action: Change interagency procedures and training courses. Team #4 Kim Vanhemelryck, will develop team including Tom Carlson, Gary Phillips, Bobby Scopa, Bill Hahnenberg**
2. The way we take credit for, fund and report WFU in relation to other hazard fuel reduction- all agencies the same.  
**Action: Change agency procedures to reflect accomplishments at local, regional and natl levels. Team: National interagency fuels team**
3. Planning and managing fires across boundaries both ways (start on either side)- TNC/ state/ private. Need agreements, funding and liability resolved. Identify current policy and options. What can we pay for when WFU moves off federal lands- can we continue to manage using our management codes? **Action: Develop recommendations, review restoring fire adapted ecosystems agreement, agreements, ... Team #5: Sarah Robertson, interagency fuels group, TNC, DOI,**
4. Incentives for participation on teams-for line officers and employees. **Action: Develop interagency proposal for each agency adoption. Team #6: Fred will develop team with Marcia Andre, national IC's, DOI operation reps,.. Report to NIFC fire directors**

5. Performance element for line officers to require participation in fire mgmt. **Team #6**

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6. (6) Fire moving from one jurisdiction to another- how do we streamline consistent management
7. (7) What are we going to do for incident management teams and how do we get there- all teams manage all kinds of fires
8. (8) Interdisciplinary fire training and participation requirement. Coop ed and other entry level positions have fire training in their training plan.
9. (9) Fire Use modules a national shared resource (fire use module group?)
10. (10) More flexibility in ordering teams (short teams)
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12. (12) Talking points and training should include WFU as both a restoration and maintenance tool
13. (15) FUM as crews in ROSS instead of overhead (fire use module group)
14. (13) Standardize FUM's ie numbers, training, equipment, certification (fire use module group)
15. (11) Combine current IC and FUM 1 or 2 positions into a single set of positions (ICT's 1-5)
16. (14) Qualification needs on WFU- decreasing qualifications during an incident
17. (16) Review the MMA procedures-
18. (m) Establish funding for teams

- 19.(m) Develop local, regional and national capability for fire mgmt.
- 20.(l) A consistent policy describing how structures under special use permit should be protected in a fire event and which should not?
21. (l) Fire Use teams should be increased to 12
- 22.(l) Clarification of Management action points
- 23.(l) Utilize multiple alternative MMA's
- 24.(l) Is there a need to develop a national policy to evaluate potential effects from WFU- ecological, structural, etc...